



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Robert F. Gazdzinski



pp. No.

10/651,451

27299

Filed : August 29, 2003

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

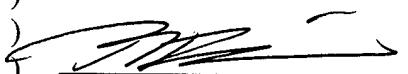
For : SMART ELEVATOR  
SYSTEM AND METHOD

Examiner : Unknown

September 1, 2004

(Date)

Group Art Unit: 2635

  
 Robert F. Gazdzinski, Reg. No. 39,990
TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
 Attn: Group Art Unit 2635

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application are:

1. Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages);
2. Form PTO-1449 (2 pages) listing twenty-nine (29) references; and,
3. Return prepaid postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

GAZDZINSKI &amp; ASSOCIATES

Dated: 9/1/04By: 

Robert F. Gazdzinski, Esq.  
 Registration No. 39,990  
 Attorney of Record  
 11440 West Bernardo Court, Suite 375  
 San Diego, CA 92127  
 Telephone: (858) 675-1670  
 Facsimile: (858) 675-1674

IFW



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant :	Robert F. Gazdzinski	)
App. No. :	10/651,451	)
Filed :	August 29, 2003	)
For :	<b>SMART ELEVATOR SYSTEM AND METHOD</b>	)
Examiner :	Unknown	)
Group Art Unit:	2635	)

---

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed is form PTO-1449 listing twenty-nine (29) references, all of which were previously disclosed to or cited by the Patent and Trademark Office in the prosecution of U.S. patent application Serial No. 09/330,101, filed June 10, 1999, now Patent No. 6,615,175, which is the parent of this continuation application, and is relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. 120. Copies of these references are not submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.98(d).

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, and presumably no fee is required in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3). If a first Office Action on the merits was mailed before the mailing date of this

App. No. : 10/651,451  
Filed : August 29, 2003

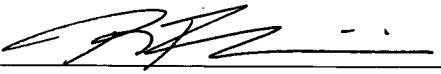
Statement, it is requested that the Commissioner charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 501423.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g) and (h), Applicant makes no representation that a search has been made or that the information cited is considered to be material to patentability. Additionally, inclusion on this list is not an admission that any of the cited documents are prior art in this application. Further, Applicant makes no representation regarding the completeness of this list or that better art does not exist.

Respectfully submitted,

GAZDZINSKI & ASSOCIATES

Dated: 9/1/04

By: 

Robert F. Gazdzinski, Esq.  
Registration No. 39,990  
Attorney of Record  
11440 West Bernardo Court, Suite 375  
San Diego, CA 92127  
Telephone No. (858) 675-1670  
Facsimile No. (858) 675-1674

FORM PTO-1449 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY. DOCKET NO. RFG.008C1	APPLICATION NO. 10/651,451
O I P E INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT  SEP 07 2003 (IF NECESSARY)		APPLICANT Robert F. Gazdzinski	
		FILING DATE August 29, 2003	GROUP 2635

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUBCLASS	FILING DATE (IF APPROPRIATE)
1	4,534,056	08/1985	Feilchenfeld, et al.			
2	4,577,177	03/18/86	Marubashi			
3	4,708,224	11/1987	Schrooder			
4	4,749,062	06/07/88	Tsuji, et al.			
5	4,979,593	12/25/90	Watanabe, et al.			
6	4,995,479	02/26/91	Fujiwara, et al.			
7	5,042,620	08/27/91	Yoneda, et al.			
8	5,056,629	10/15/91	Tsuji, et al.			
9	5,200,583	04/1993	Kupersmith, et al.			
10	5,255,341	10/19/93	Nakajima			
11	5,287,266	02/15/94	Malec, et al.			
12	5,295,064	03/15/94	Malec, et al.			
13	5,485,897	01/23/96	Matsumoto, et al.			
14	5,551,532	09/03/96	Kupersmith			
15	5,606,154	02/25/97	Doigan, et al.			
16	5,749,443	05/1998	Romao			
17	5,844,181	12/01/98	Amo, et al.			
18	5,955,710	09/21/99	DiFranza			
19	6,073,727	06/2000	DiFranza, et al.			
20	6,082,500	07/2000	Amo, et al.			
21	6,202,008	03/2001	Beckert, et al.			
22	6,206,142	03/2001	Meacham			
23	6,223,160	04/2001	Kostka, et al.			
24	6,349,797	02/26/02	Newville, et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION	
						YES	NO

FORM PTO-1449 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE		ATTY. DOCKET NO. RFG.008C1	APPLICATION NO. 10/651,451
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT			
(USE SEVERAL SHEETS IF NECESSARY)			
FILING DATE August 29, 2003		GROUP 2635	

EXAMINER INITIAL	OTHER DOCUMENTS (INCLUDING AUTHOR, TITLE, DATE, PERTINENT PAGES, ETC.)		
25	D.K. Kahaner (March 16, 1991) "Hitachi 1991 Technology Exhibition, Tokyo," Asian Technology Information Program, Pages 1-14.		
26	Karen Jacobs (December 7, 1999) "Elevator Maker to Add Commercial Touch," The Wall Street Journal, Pages 1-2.		
27	Lewis Perdue (July 20, 1999) "Forget Elevator Music, Here Comes Elevator Internet," Internet VC Watch, Pages 1-2.		
28	Stevens Institute of Technology, Spring 1999 Final Report, Pages 1-12.		
29	Kenji Yoneda, et al. (December, 1997) "Multi-Objective Elevator Supervisory-Control System with Individual Floor-Situation Control," Hitachi Review, Page 1.		

EXAMINER	DATE CONSIDERED
*EXAMINER: INITIAL IF CITATION CONSIDERED, WHETHER OR NOT CITATION IS IN CONFORMANCE WITH MPEP 609; DRAW LINE THROUGH CITATION IF NOT IN CONFORMANCE AND NOT CONSIDERED. INCLUDE COPY OF THIS FORM WITH NEXT COMMUNICATION TO APPLICANT.	